# Griffmen Are Leading American League by Defeating Red Sox



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were Messrs. Lewis, Bamman, McDonald, Powell, Medbery, Sizer, Schladt, Moore.

Griffmen Leading League and Fans Calling for Another of "Seventeen Straight."

#### OTHER SPORTING GOSSIP

Final Washington-Red Sox Combat Staged Today-Shore and Boehling Probable Pitchers.

By winning yesterdays game from the Boston Red Sox, the Nationals jumped from fourth into first place and this norning are leading the league by a scant

nargin.
Incidentally it might be mentioned that this victory makes the fourth in a row on the home patch and everybody in town is talking.

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"Seventeen straight—same as we did in 1912," yelled several frenzied rooters from the first pavillion after the game.

There is hardly a chance for the Nationals to come across with another one of those sensational drives, for such things happen only once in a decade, but the fact remains that Griffith has his clubright on its toes and any team which wrests a victory will know it has been in a ball game.

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Nationals into the lead also tied for sec-ond place Beston, Detroit and Cleveland. Evidently Connie Mack knew what he was talking about when he said that the tail end club of the American League this season would be a great ball team despite ts lowly position.

The final game of the Nationals-Red Sox series will be staged here this afternoon, and Griffith is priming his men to bat against Ernie Shore the lanky right hander. For the home team either Joe Boehling, who beat the Red Sox in Boston during the lest trip or Bert Gallie. ton, during the last trip, or Bert Gallia will be on the mound.

As the Nationals got to Shore for a vic-tory in Boston, Griff is confident that his club can repeat. The Old Fox has his heart set on cleaning up against the Sox

missing strikes on him, claiming that the umpire was to blame for getting him in so many tight places. The Washington players say that Connoily umpired a good game of ball and that Ruth has only bireas! himself to blame for getting into he

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Actively interested canocists of this city and Builders Exchange last even-

met at the Builders Exchange last evening and decided upon a cance regatta to be held on July 15. Under the adoptic diname of the Association James W. Burch of the Washington Cance Club was appointed chairman and the clubs and boat houses interested will be advised to appoint delegates to a meeting regarding form the washington Cance Club on May 9.

and Mr. Dempsey.

Dorsey Holes Out in One Stroke.

Hackensack, N. J., May 1.—The "once in a-lifetime thing" happened to Alian of the Association James W. Burch of the Washington Cance Club was appointed chairman and the clubs and boat the traces between local boat clubs will also be on the program, and it was suggested that in order to add to the attractiveness of the affair, it might be well to have the yacht clubs crossing a brook and laying on a side point delegates to a meeting regarding compete for club trophiles for the best water.

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#### Griffmen Get to Ruth in Eighth Inning. Defeating Red Sox by Score of 5 to 3 By WILLIAM PEET. Polishing off the Red Sox 5 to 3 here Here Are the Figures ired the side. This one run lead of the Red Sox looked good enough to win the old hall

esterday afternoon by taking advantage of Ruth's wildness in the eighth inning and pouncing on Dutch Leonard for a two-bagger with the bases full turned i a victory which will not long be for-gotten by the big Monday crowd which thronged the concrete collseum. John Henry's timely double turned the

trick, for this wallop cleared the bases, brought the Griffmen up from behind a 3-to-2 score and shot the Nationals into first place, as a glance at the American League standing will show. can League standing will show.
Saturday it was Eddie Ainsmith who had a lot to do with humbling the Bean brigade, yesterday it was Henry. Our catchers sure do go good against Carrigan's crowd-more power to 'em.
When it was announced that Babe Ruth and Harry Harper would lock horns the growd wettled back avecting to see a

crowd settled back expecting to see a great southpaw battle, nor were they disappointed, for outside of the fourth nning. Harper although hit hard was invincible, while Ruth faltered in the second, but came back strong until he developed that sudden wild streak in the

Henry Hits Timely.

Not only did Henry Catch a great game, but his big bat was very much in evidence. Ray Morgan also hit the ball timely and with George McBride helped pull off a couple of lightning double plays that kicked the props from underneath two promising Red Sox batting rallies. After blanking the Nationals in the first linning the Griffmen took a flying leap at Babe Ruth and hit him between the eyes for a couple of runs in the second inning. Rondeau opened this chapter by drawing a walk. Joe Judge sacrificed Rondy to second. Morgan's single past Scott scored Rondeau and put Morgan on second McBride shot the ball to left scoring Morgan, but when Harper hit into a double play it was all over.

Harry Harper, after squirming out of a tight place in the second and being threatened in the third was touched up the color of the c

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BOSTON.

game as Ruth after the disastrous a ond yielded only two hits and allowed but one member of the home team to reach second base. The eighth Washington inning, when

The eighth washington the big blow-off occurred, started out anything but pleasant, for Milan, the first man up, popped weakly to Barry. The Ruth walking club was formed right here and the parade started with Ron-lead who was followed by Alva Willdeau, who was followed by Alva Will-iams, batting for Judge and Ray Mor-gan, filling the bases.

In order to give Ruth a chance to catch

his breath Manager Carrigan substituted Chester Thomas behind the bat for Sam Chester Thomas behind the bat for Sam Agnew. This happened while Morgan was at bat. The change in catchers failed to work to advantage as Morgan, like his other pals, was allowed to stroll.

The appearance of Henry at hat

#### ATHLETICS GET JUMP: ARE NEVER HEADED

Philadelphia, Pa., May 1.—The Athletics got a three-run jump on the Yankees Club in the new City Postoffice was held today on singles by Witt. Oldring and last night at that place when President the second inning when Witt fumbled Gedeon's grounder, Pipp followed with a double and Peckinpaugh with a single. Strunk made a homer in the fifth. Score: New York. AB H O A Elahletics. AB H O A Ela The Yankees scored both their runs in last night by Mr. Chance are the bowling Detroit.

Knetzer Released by Boston Braves.

#### POSTOFFICE CLUB HOLDS BIG OPENING

The formal opening of the Post Office

Cincinnati, Ohlo, May 1.—Cincinnati drove Babe Adams from the mound in the sixth Inning when they scored two runs, defeating Pittsburgh for the second twenty-one players required by the league rules.

Ness Plays with Semipro Nine.
Chicago, May 1.—Jack Ness, the hardhitting first baseman procured by the White Sox from the Oakland Coast League Club', and recently sold to Baltimore, has declined to join the Orioles. He has signed with a semiprofessional team here for Sunday games.

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#### ONE BIG INNING WINS FOR INDIANS

Detriot, Mich., May 1.—The Indians won today's game in the first inning, when they scored two runs. Grancy singled. Turner was passed, and Smith drove them McInnis, an error and a double-steal, and M. O. Chance, of the club, rolled the were never headed, winning 4 to 2. Joe first ball down the four new bowling alleskie held the Tigers to two scattered hits during the five innings that were played before rain intervened. Score:

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25 for a leg on the yearly cup. Lewis was also high scratch gun of the day, with a total of 94 out of 100.

#### MINOR LEAGUE RESULTS.

SOUTHERN Birmingham, 5; Atlanta, 4. Nashville, 8; Memphia, 7. New Orleans, 2; Mobile, 6. Chattanoors, 1; Little Rock, 6.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION. St. Paul vs. Tojedo, rain. Kansas City vs. Indianapolis, rain. Minneapolis, 1: Columbus, 14. Milwaukee, 5: Louisville, 6.

INTERNATIONAL Buffalo, 1; Providence, 2. Rochester, 4; Newark, 6.

